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Advance TRADE Prices

For FALL 1892.

These quotations are for EARLY orders and are subject to change without notice, except where prices are agreed upon.

Prices herein, in many instances, without doubt are lower than will be quoted in regular Fall Trade Lists, and are made to induce placing of orders at once—for EITHER Fall or Spring Shipment. Should any items be quoted lower in our Fall Trade List, buyers will receive the benefit of the reduction.

NO RESTRICTIONS.—Our aim is to conduct the Nursery business on the most liberal principles. And we like always to do any favors our customers ask.

Friction is what impedes business.

Life is too brief to encumber commercial transactions with a score of unnecessary conditions.

We quote LOWEST 1000 RATE for Stock in Quantity; 20 at the 100 and 300 at the 1000 rate.

Above applies where order is for not less than 10 of a variety. Where not printed the 100 rate is 1c each added to the 1000 rate; smaller quantities as per regular Fall Trade List—issued later.

Nuts, Ornamentals, &c., often required by the trade in small quantities, will be supplied, *ten or more of a kind, at the net 1000 rates quoted.*

We tie Trees, Roses, &c., in 10's, Grapes and all Small Fruits in 25's, and hope, so far as convenient, orders will be made accordingly.

BUYER'S CHOICE of sorts; but when orders cannot be filled to the letter, we exercise our judgment as to sending as nearly similar sorts as possible. If you do not wish us to use our discretion in the matter, simply write "no substitution," on order, and we will fill only so far as we can.

Trade prices do not include cost of boxes or bales. Car lots packed in bulk free of charge. All stock is packed in the best possible manner, less than car lots in boxes mostly. We charge for large boxes, 8 or 9 feet long by 30 inches square, \$3 each,

and in proportion for other sizes; bales 25c. to \$1.50 each; this includes all cost of packing and cartage.

CAR LOADS packed **IN BULK** save **TIME** and cost of boxes. We ship in bulk to Pacific Coast and other distant points, and trees arrive in perfect order.

PACIFIC COAST trade a specialty. Of hundreds of large orders shipped past year *not one tree* was burned nor failed to pass inspection.

Prices herein abrogate previous quotations.

TERMS, Cash, or satisfactory security. Car lots Peach, Pear, Prune and other stock for Spring trade, Spring payment if for late Fall shipment.

GRADES or sizes are in some cases by height, in others by caliper; when graded by *both* caliper and height the caliper must govern, as the height then named is approximated. All stock fully up to grade—over rather than under. When we cannot furnish exact size ordered we usually send next nearest grade. All trees young and *thrift*; no old nor rough transplanted stuff on hand.

OUR PRICES are moderate, possibly not as low as may be occasionally made where tremendous inducements must be offered in order to sell at all. But such prices justly create distrust of the quality of the stock offered.

If there are any further points, command us freely. Truly,

PIKE CO. NURSERIES,

Stark Bros. Wholesale Dept.,
LOUISIANA, MO.

July 28, 1892.

APPLE, "3ft." size, 3 to 4 ft., 2-yr.....	\$35	APPLE, Special * sorts, X size, 2-yr.....	\$65
" " "4ft." " 4 to 5 ft., " medium.....	45	" " "XX " " 1st class.....	75
" " "X" " 5 1/2 to 3/4 inch, 5 to 6 ft., 2-yr.....	55	" " AKIN, BABBITT—** sorts, 3ft. size, 2-yr.....	65
" " "XX" " 3/4 & up, 5 to 7 ft., 2-yr., 1st class.....	65	" " " " "4ft. " " "medium, 75	
" " Special * sorts, 3ft. size, 2-yr.....	45	" " " " "X " " " "100	
" " " " "4ft. " " "medium.....	55	" " " " "XX " " "1st cl., 125	

Whole Root Apple trees, grafted or budded, \$20 per 1000 added to above prices. One-yr. *whole root* apple, leading sorts, per 1000: 2 to 3 ft., \$45; 3 to 4 ft., \$55; 4 to 5 ft., \$65; 5 to 6 ft., \$75; special * sorts, \$10 per 1000 additional.

KANSAS APPLE.—Besides a very large plant here, we also have fine blocks of Apple at Topeka, Kas., and offer car lots, f.o.b. Topeka, at \$10 per 1000 off above quotations—Spring payment if for late Fall shipment.

*AKIN (Akin's Red) Alexander Arkansas—see M.B. Twig *ARK. BEAUTY " " Black Autumn Bough *BABBITT (West. Bald'n) Baldwin Bellflower, Flory " " Ortley " " Yellow *Ben Davis Benoni *Black Annette (Ia) *Bostick Queen Bradford's Best, Ky Red Buckingham, Fall Queen Carter's Blue *Celestia *Charlotte Thaler *Clayton *COFFELT (Ark) Coles Quince Colvert Cook's Sdg., Sonoma Cooper's Early White Cooper's Market Cornell's Fancy *Crawford (Ark.) *Cullin's Keeper *Dickinson *Dr. Walker	Duchess, Oldenburg *EARLY COLTON " " Harvest " " Pennock " " Ripe " " Trenton *Elkhorn (Ark.) *Enormous Fallswater (Tul. hock'n) Fameuse (Snow) *Family Favorite *Fanny *Gano Golden Sweet Gravenstein *Greening, Northwestern " " Rhode Island Grimes Golden Pippin Haas, Queen Hoover (Black Coal) Hubbardston (Nonsuch) Huntsman's Favorite Isham Sweet Janeton, Rawle's *Jeffers, Evbg. Ill. Imp'l *Jonathan *Jones Seedling Keswick Codlin King, Tompkins *Kinnaird's Choice *Lady Sweet *Lankford (Langford)	Lawver (Del. Winter) *Longfield Lowell, Orange, Gol. Pip. *Loy Maiden Blush *Mam. Black Twig, Ark. * " Pippin (Ark.) Mann *Marshall Red (Cal.) *Mason's Orange May of Myers (Ill.) McAfee, Lg. S. Pearmain McIntosh Red *McMahon White Minkler Mo. Pippin *Mother *Nansemond Beauty *Nero Newtown Pippin, Yellow Northern Spy *Osceola Pa. Red Streak, Wine Pearmain, White Winter " " Lg. Striped, Red Winter, or McAfee Pewaukee *Pickard's Reserve *Poorhouse (Winter Green) *Porter *Pyle's Red Winter Ragan Yel. Horse	*RAINBOW Rambo Ramsdell Sweet *Rebel Red Astrachan * " Bietzheimer " " Canada " " June, Carolina *RED RIGHEE Romanite, Gilpin Roman Stem Rome Beauty Russet, Golden " " Roxbury *Salome *Scarlet Cranberry *Scott's Winter *Shackleford *Shannon Shockley Smith's Cider Sons of Wine Stark Stevenson's Winter Strawberry, Autumn " " Chenango " " Early *St. Lawrence *Stuart's Golden *Stump Summer Rambo (Pa.) *Sutton Beauty	Sweet Bough " " June Talmán Sweet Twenty Ounce Wagner Walbridge Water (Pa.) Wealthy *Western Beauty White Pippin *Willow Twig Wine Sap *Wolf River *Yellow Transparent *York Imperial.
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CRAB APPLES.

*FLORENCE—STAR	*GIBB, Gibb Golden
*Hyslop	*Lady Elgin
*LOOKER'S WINTER	*Martha
*Quaker Beauty	*RICHLAND WIN. SW'T
*Sweet Russet (Wis.)	*Teller Sweet
*Transcendent	*Whitney No. 20
*WINTER GOLD. SWEET	*Yates (Red Warrior).

offer 2 in. X McIlroy, for

in trade
\$15.

The Spirit of the Age

Is CONDENSATION

And therefore we study to make a Condensed Price List.

Personal experience searching through diffusive 16 to 40 page lists, which might easily be boiled down to a fourth the space and room to spare, years ago determined us to condense our Lists to the fewest possible pages. You will find that the 4-page List enclosed quotes a far greater number of items and an infinitely larger assortment than some lists of many times its size.

Please examine it. Note the prices, assortments, advantages, facilities, etc., for nurserymen and jobbers to stock up in everything. Anticipating a large demand, which the past year's business still further emphasizes, we greatly extended our propagation, and believe that we are to-day in a better position to supply a *complete* line of stock in *quantity* than any other house in the trade.

If we have not yet had the pleasure of doing business with you, we respectfully solicit a Trial Order, and we venture to believe it will lead to further business to our mutual benefit.

For the PHENOMENAL SUCCESS attendant upon our efforts to supply the best stock at moderate prices, we cannot thank our customers too much. We spare no pains or expense to grow High Grade stock. We are content to sell at a small profit. We give careful attention and continuous study to perfecting every detail. Another reason why our business has grown to proportions almost unknown in the Nursery line, is because we conduct it on broad, liberal and systematic business principles.

A GREAT and PERMANENT NURSERY, annually distributing its product to all parts of this country in fair and free competition with every one furnishing a product of like quality, has for years been our ideal. We will not undertake to say that this long cherished ideal is fully realized; perfection rarely is. But an evidence of some measure of success, as well as a prophecy of the future of these Nurseries, is found in the fact that the business of the past nursery year, shows an increase of **more than 84 per cent** over the preceding year's hitherto unequalled record.

With the largest nursery business and greatest orchard interests in the world already, yet our aim has been to build for the future rather than to try to squeeze out the most money each year in the way of dividends. Hence we have kept re-investing our money in the business. It has been running over half a century. We are in it to stay—not alone for the profit, but because we love it. It is our life work. Success in it means to us far more than mere money making. We hope to contribute to the happiness and welfare of every one with whom we have dealings.

IN ILLINOIS, five miles east of here, we have made a large plant and have now in clover for next year's planting several hundred acres more. The deep clay loam soil there is, we verily believe, unexcelled anywhere for producing strong, healthy and early maturing trees. With over a thousand acres of this, America's ideal nursery soil, we are enabled to turn off a finer quality of trees than ever before. Finding this land so much superior in every way to anything we have ever seen, not excepting Topeka (where we are also growing stock), we shall as rapidly as possible concentrate our main fruit-tree planting there.

STORAGE.—We have *eleven* (two more building, one a car shed) immense cool storage and packing houses, invaluable no less for promptly securing stock against the occasional dry hot winds and withering sunshine of Autumn, than for storing so as to ship almost every day during winter.

OUR FIRST PACKING HOUSE was built eleven years ago, and every year since we have been compelled to add new buildings and appliances, until now we have an unequalled equipment in every department—in short, a thoroughly complete and comprehensive nursery system. And we have demonstrated that our superior facilities enable us to greatly reduce prices and, at the same time, vastly increase the volume of business done.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION is directed to the following leaders from our List:

APPLE, Whole Root, both grafted and budded, and piece-root grafted, 2-yr.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in. and smaller grades. We also offer car lots, f.o.b. Topeka, Kas., at lower prices. Note our comprehensive list of sorts.

PEAR, ST'D, 2-yr., large stock, magnificent trees—in short **no larger stock in U. S. NO BETTER. No Cheaper.** Superb lots Kieffer, Bartlett, Anjou, Boussock, Buffum, Clapp's, Easter B., F. Bty., Seckel, Sheldon, Tyson, &c. Also Special sorts. See "Note" in List, under Pear.

PEAR, DW'F, both 1 and 2-yr., including fine lot Idaho, Bartlett, Tyson, Margaret, &c.

CHERRY is scarce in market. We have perhaps the largest lot of strictly 2-yr. Cherry in the country—120,000 stocks planted and almost a solid stand. They have been sprayed, consequently *still* making fine growth. Mostly Dukes and Morellos, some fine Windsor, Napoleon, Cal. Advance—the hardest and earliest Sweet. Also 120,000 1-yr., both Sweets and Sours.

PLUM, PRUNE, on Mariana—also on Native Plum,—largely 1-yr., with 2-yr. of some sorts. Large lot 2-yr. Mariana on own roots; see Special prices.

PLUM, on PEACH, large stock of strong 1-yr. trees, Abundance, Burbank, Satsuma, De Soto, Potta., W. Goose, Clyman, Coe's, Shrop. Damson, Gages, &c.

PRUNE, on PEACH, immense stock, strong 1-yr., French, Italian, German, Tragedy, Golden, Hungarian, &c. Also French June buds—price on request.

PEACH, immense stock of most excellent quality. See **Peach Pointer**, page 4. If desired can make a grade of $\frac{5}{8}$ and up, or even larger. The smaller grades are better than usual, being chiefly from clay spots. Strong on leading sorts; also 300 M Elberta; and Muir, Sellers Orange Cling, Wonderful, &c., by the *hundred thousand*. Also **Summer Snow**, true from seed, the *hardest* peach; bears where all others, even *Seedlings* fail. Trees planted near Sedalia, Mo., in 1859 still bearing. In quality, the *sweetest, juiciest* and highest flavored of all peaches. For canning simply **INCOMPARABLE**.

APRICOT, on Mariana, unsurpassed lot of **two-year** Russians—fine heads and bodies. Fair supply 1-yr. Russians; large stock 1-yr. Royal, &c.

APRICOT, on Peach, 1-yr., Royal, Luizet, Newcastle Ey., Japan, &c.

QUINCE, 2-yr., fine, well headed trees—Rea's Mam., Meech, Orange, Mo. Mam., &c.

GOOSEBERRY, extra stock (65,000) Houghton, large lot (30,000) Downing, some Smith's.

CURRENT, Fay's Prolific, White Grape, Cherry, Versailles, Victoria, Red Dutch, &c.

BERRIES, Rasp'ry, Dewb'ry, Blackb'ry, Strawb'ry—full stock.

GRAPE VINES, heavy on leading sorts, also Diamond, Eaton, &c.

MULBERRY, Downing and Hicks Everb'g, 1 and 2-yr.

NUTS, Almonds, New softshell sorts; **Chestnut**, stocky, *well-rooted* 4-yr. trees; Pecan, &c.

ROOT GRAFTS a specialty every winter. **Buds and Clions** in season.

STOCKS, Seedlings, &c., full line, best quality. Extra fine Apple and Mariana Plum—See opp.

OR'L TREES, Alder; Ash; Birch, Eup. W. W. and Cut-lf.; **Laburnum** or Gol. Chain,

fine; Magnolia; **Maple**, grand stock large sizes **Silver**, Norway, Weir's, Box Elder, &c.;

Mt. Ash, Eup. and **Oak-lf.**, a large and very fine stock; **Peach**, Bloodleaf and Dbl.

Fl'g; **Poplar**, **Bolleana**, grand trees, all sizes, **Carolina** and **Lombardy**, immense stock, all sizes; **Sycamore**; **Tulip Tree**, 6000, extra quality; **Willow**, all kinds.

SHRUBS, Althea, Dbl.; **Berberry**, Purple; **Cornus**, Mas. and Red; **Deutzia**, **Hydrangea**, Japan Quince; **Lilac**, Purple and White; **Mahonia**, Aq.; **Privet**, Cal., special price in 1000 lots; **Prunus Triloba**, on *Mariana*; **Purple Fringe**, extra choice; **Spiraea**, heavy supply Van Houttei, the finest; **Syringa**, three sorts, extra stocky stuff; **Tamarix**; **Weigela**, Candida, &c.

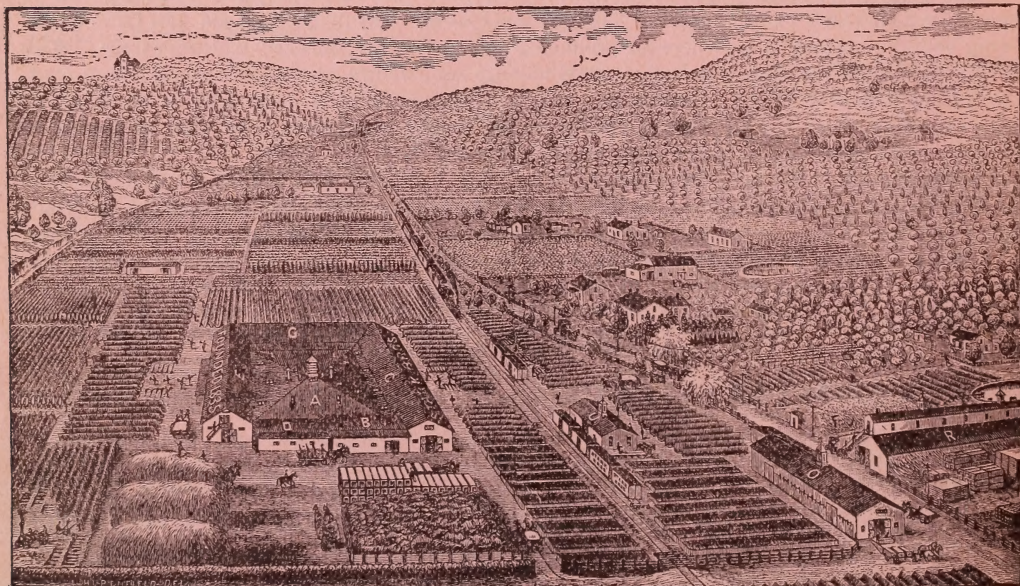
CLIMBERS, Clematis, Honeysuckle, Wistaria, etc.

EVERGREENS, extra choice stock, **Arbor Vitae**, **Balsam Fir**, **Irish Juniper**, Pines, Red Cedar, Retinospora and Spruces—20 per cent off on 1000 lots.

ROSES, last but very far from least. **A GRAND STOCK**, strong, finely rooted, field grown

Roses on own roots; also extra heavy budded, both 1 and 2-yr. plants, H. P., Moss, &c.

Scores of letters from the *Trade* express the greatest admiration for the Roses we send out.



PART OF THE NURSERIES OF STARK BROS., LOUISIANA, MO.

MARIANA PLUM STOCKS.

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS for both Mariana STOCKS and CUTTINGS and know whereof we speak when we say than ours there is **NO LARGER STOCK IN U. S. NO BETTER. NO CHEAPER.**

We planted three million cuttings here this season, sent a full car-load of nearly two-million to be planted at Fort Valley, Ga., and offer Stocks at both places. We also have immense blocks of large trees grown expressly to furnish wood for cuttings, and can supply them by the million.

MYROBOLAN stocks have been used by many because of the higher price of Mariana, but this year the Myrobolan crop is almost a failure and Mariana stocks are as cheap as Angers or any other stocks can be grown from cuttings; hence the Mariana will be given a practical test by many who have not yet used it—and a fair test is all that is necessary to prove its *incomparable superiority*.

Superior to any other stock.—*P. J. Berckmans, Pres't Am. Pomological Society.*

Have only tried it two years, but pleased to say it **promises to be a useful stock.**
—*Elhwanger & Barry, N. Y.*

The **best stock existing** for Plum and Apricot; will *not* do for Peach.—*G. Onderdonk.*

As a stock **unequalled** by any other variety. Especially desirable where Myrobolan is troubled with root galls.—*Thos. Meehan & Sons, Pa.*

Am working Mariana as a **possible preventive of "knot"** on Myrobolan and other plum roots.—*Leonard Coates, Cal.*

Kelsey plums on peach roots were ruined by root-knot; others near by on Mariana were perfectly free. Where root-knot prevails, **Mariana is invaluable.**—*So. Hort. Journal.*



Apricots on MARIANA Stocks.—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.

The Alexander and Ey. Golden Apricot trees shown above were grown from cuttings, transplanted at 1-yr. old from bud, and taken up after having made less than four seasons' growth *close-planted* in orchard—the Alexander being more than 4 inches in diameter, as shown by the Square, the Early Golden nearly as much; point of union scarcely discernible.

The Mariana is the most perfect stock in use for the Plum, Prune and Apricot. And, naturally, we feel a pardonable pride in its success, inasmuch as we first discovered its value as a stock and first used and advocated its use. Trees on Mariana stocks are particularly valuable in arid regions. This has been often shown, perhaps nowhere more conclusively than by thousands of Prune, Plum and Russian Apricot trees on Mariana stocks, planted in our orchards near Denver, and grown wholly without irrigation, but with thorough *cultivation*. Trees planted in 1888, bore in 1890, and a good crop in 1891, and again this year, and all are exceedingly vigorous.

While the Mariana the very best stock for Plum, Prune and Apricot, we must repeat the warning that our experiments show conclusively that it is not suited to the Peach. Possibly root-grafted Peach on Mariana, so that trees get on own roots, may do better than to bud.

Prest. Berckmans just writes us that "very few Peach trees budded on Mariana have survived their second year's growth; the third year not one was alive out of several hundred."

MARIANA for PLUMS.—My Mariana orchard is loaded with fruit.—*G. Onderdonk, Tex.*

Mariana top worked on Native plum bears well in Central Iowa.—*C. L. Watrous, Iowa.*

The Mariana on rich soil, or if pruned much, makes a heavy wood growth, of course at the expense of fruit, but on thin soils bears good crops. The fruit is better for culinary uses, and the tree less apt to die back than Wild Goose. Our Mariana trees are loaded again this season.

MARIANA for ORNAMENTAL HEDGES. Gov. L. B. Prince of New Mexico writes us July 19, '92: "The Mariana Plums were exceedingly fine and will make a beautiful hedge."

PACIFIC COAST Trade a Specialty.

We ship to the Coast and have given, and guarantee to give, entire satisfaction. We are heavier growers of Prunes, and give more attention to Pacific Coast **SORTS** and wants, than any other nursery East of the Sierra Nevadas. And we are free to say that we were led to this after a personal visit to the Coast six years ago, during which we became convinced that the fruit industry—particularly *evaporated* Prunes, Apricots and other fruits—was only in its infancy, with the world for a market.

PEACH POINTER.—Our Peach seedlings have all been grown from *natural Ozark Mountain* pits collected in the Ozark Mountains of S. W. Mo.—to-day the healthiest peach region of the U. S. All our Peach trees, as well as Prune, Plum and Apricot *on Peach*, are on these Ozark Mountain seedlings—we bud no other. We secured nearly 1000 bushels of these valuable pits two years ago and now have without doubt the largest blocks of *extra quality* trees in America. These cannot possibly have any taint of Yellows—in fact we are almost as distant from the Yellows district as from California itself.

TREES PASS INSPECTION.—Large numbers of the leading nurserymen and fruit growers of the Pacific Coast have sent and are sending us orders. Out of the large quantities we shipped there during the past year, not one tree was burned nor failed to pass inspection. We think buyers need have no fears of **GOOD STOCK** passing an **HONEST** and **INTELLIGENT INSPECTION**. Those hesitating to order, misinformed about the inspection, should be careful to order from reputable establishments, such as are known to produce and ship only clean healthy stock.

Prof. Thos. Meehan, one of the most eminent American Scientists, in *Meehan's Monthly*, for Feb. '92:

PEACH YELLOWS.—Californians are just now exercised for fear the peach yellows should be introduced in that State, and are establishing an embargo, which is to keep out peach trees from other sections. They are wise in doing all possible to keep their trees healthy; but it is well nigh impossible that the yellows can ever exist in California. The actual experiments of the writer, made years ago, have proved that the peach yellows is caused by the action of a species of mushroom, *Agaricus melleus*, and this species of mushroom does not spread in California. This *Agaricus* will only live in continuously moist and cool climates. Even in the eastern States, where the yellows has probably existed in some of the more northern ones for a century, and where introductions have been from north to south continually, the yellows does not exist very far below the line of the Potomac, because the conditions are unfavorable. In like manner, when peach trees are grown under glass, no signs of the peach yellows have been observed, chiefly because that mushroom will not develop under those circumstances. We would just as soon expect to hear of the peach yellows in California as we would to hear of an acre of pineapples being produced in Maine.

Few buyers of trees know *where* to buy, and when buying, know whether they buy from the *producers* or several hands *removed*. We are wholesale *growers* on the largest scale. When you buy from us you get stock that we grow, and *know* to be true to name, fresh and healthy—stock such as has made us friends everywhere during the past *fifty-seven years*. Compare our system of business with those who buy all or nearly all the stock they sell—whose nurseries are chiefly in their catalogues. Yet we sell thousands of trees to some of these very firms who issue so elaborate catalogues. *Their* customers could as well buy at *first hands* from us, and thereby save much money. But—well, perhaps we couldn't handle all the business that would come if *their* customers only *KNEW*. But they don't. Besides we don't want *all* the business. But we digress.—Note our situation in the heart of the great "Fruit Belt," what visitors say, our facilities for filling orders, etc., etc., *your choice* of varieties, instead of giving you what we please—compare our methods and prices with those who, from an infinitely smaller and less well assorted stock perhaps in *second hands* and if as good, *no better* than ours, sell at as high, probably higher, prices.

We are *producers*, and our advertisements state only a fact which we might well make much stronger than we do when we advertise simply: **No LARGER Stock in U. S. No BETTER. No Cheaper.**

PEACH, 2 to 3 ft., 1-yr.	\$30	Peach, NORTH AM. AP'T, STARK HEATH, 4-5 ft.	\$120
3 to 4 ft., "	40	" " " 5-6 ft.	150
4 to 5 ft., "	50	" SUMMER SNOW true from seed, 3-4 ft.	150
5 to 6 ft., "	55	" " " 4-5 ft.	200
NORTH AM. AP'T, STARK HEATH, 3-4 ft.	80	" " " 5-6 ft.	250

Special * sorts (also NECTARINES—Boston, &c.), \$10 per 1000 additional to prices of leading sorts.

Seedlings from selected Salway and Crawford Ey., per 1000: 2-3 ft., \$15; 3-4 ft., \$20; 4-5 ft., \$30.

Alexander	Early St. John, Yel. St. J.	Hill's Chili	Oldmixon Cling	ed; <i>hardest</i> peach.
Alpha Cling (Cal.)	*Elberta	Hynes' Surprise	" Free	Susquehanna
Amelia	Eldred Cling	*Hyslop, Superb Cling	Picquet's Late	Thurber
Bishop's Early	Family Favorite	*Jennie Worthen	Prize	Tong-Pa
Brandywine	Foster	Lemon Free	Red River	Tuscan Cling, Tuskena
Chair's Choice	Gen. Grant, cl'g (Cal.)	*Madison Mam. cl'g (Ark.)	*Salway	*Ulatis (Cal. Advance)
*CHAMPION	" Lee, cl'g	McKevitt Cling (Cal.)	Seller's Orange Cl'g (Cal.)	Walker Variegated Free
Chinese Blood Cling	*George's Late Cling (Cal.)	Mt. Rose	Shipley's Late Red	Wager
Crawford's Early	Globe	Muir (Cal.)	Stevens R. R.	*Washington (free), or
" Late	*Great Western, cl'g	Newhall (Cal.)	Stump the World	Future Great
Dwarf Japan Blood	*HEATH CLING, STARK	Nichols Orange Cl'g (Cal.)	*SUMMER SNOW, true	Wheatland
Early Rivers	" Ringold, Wilkins	*NORTH AM. AFRICOT	from seed; never budd-	Wonderful.

APRICOT, on Mariana, 3 to 4 ft., 2-yr	\$ 50	APRICOT, on Mariana, X, $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, 2-yr.	\$ 85
" " 4 to 5 ft., " medium.	75	" " " XX, $\frac{3}{4}$ up, 2-yr., 1st cl.	95

Special * Apricots, \$20 per 1000 additional. These 2-yr. Apricots are *extra* good, all on transplanted Mariana stocks, fine roots, bodies and tops. Have also *one-yr.* trees at the same prices as two-yr.

Alexander	Alexis	Budd	Catherine	Golden Russia	*Shensi (Acme, Chinese).
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Apricot, on Mariana, 2 to 3 ft., 1-yr	\$ 60	Apricot, ON PEACH, 2 to 3 ft., 1-yr.....	\$ 40	
“ “ 3 to 4 ft., “	75	“ “ 3 to 4 ft., “	60	
“ “ 4 to 5 ft., “	85	“ “ 4 to 5 ft., “	75	
“ “ 5 to 6 ft., “	95	“ “ 5 to 6 ft., “	85	
Bungoume (Japanese)	Luizet	*Newcastle Early	Peach	Royal.

QUINCE, 2 to 3 ft., 2-yr., branched	\$ 80	QUINCE, First class, 2-yr., well branched	\$120
" " Medium, " well branched	100	" " 1-yr., 3 to 5 ft., unbranched	110

Angers (stocky and fine), 2c per tree off above prices; *sorts 2c **Rea's Mam. 5c and *Mo. Mammoth 10c per tree add'tl.

Angers	*Champion	*Meech's Prolific	*Mo. Mammoth	Orange (Apple)	**Rea's Mammoth.
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SMALL FRUITS.

GOOSEBERRY, Houghton	2-yr., \$19; 1-yr., \$16
" Downing, best.	2-yr., 45; 1-yr., 35
" Smith's Improved,	2-yr., 60; 1-yr., 50

Note.—"Smith's" as grown by several large firms is Houghton; the genuine is very distinct in growth.

CURRENT, Cherry, Versailles, Victoria, Red Dutch & White Grape	2-yr., \$30; 1-yr., \$25
" Lee's Prolific, black.	2-yr., 40; 1-yr., 30
" Fay's Prolific	2-yr., 80; 1-yr., 60
RASPB'Y, Cuthbert, Gregg, Johnston Sw't.	8
" Ohio, Souhegan, Turner	7
" Shaffer Colossal	10
" Caroline, Golden Queen, Palmer	15
" Thompson Ey. Prolific, best early red	18
" Ransom Everbearing, magnificent	100
" Gladstone, \$100; Kansas	75
DEWBERRY, Lucretia, \$12; Mammoth	10
BLACKB'Y, Ey. Harvest, Snyder, Wilson Ey	9
" Agawam, \$14; Stone's Hardy, Taylor	15
" Crystal White, Wachusett	30
" Early King, \$25; Eric, Minnewaska	30

STRAWB'Y, Crescent, Bubach, Cumberland, Jersey Queen, Jessie, Michel Early, Miner, Iron Clad, Parry, Sharpless, Warfield, Windsor Chief.	3
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GRAPE VINES.

A very large stock of strong, well-rooted vines.

AGAWAM, (Rogers 15)	1-yr	2-yr
BRIGHTON	"	"
CATAWBA	"	"
CONCORD, 1 or 2-yr., No. 2, \$	"	"
DELAWARE	"	"
DIAMOND, Moore's	"	"
EATON	"	"
ELVIRA	"	"
EMPIRE STATE	"	"
GOETHE (Rogers 1)	"	"
IVES	"	"
JEWEL	"	"
LINDLEY (Rogers 9)	"	"
MARTHA	"	"
MILLS	"	"
MO. RIESLING	"	"
MOORE'S EARLY	"	"
MOYER	"	"
NIAGARA	"	"
NORTON'S VA. & CYNTHIANA	"	"
POCKLINGTON	"	"
SALEM	"	"
WOODRUFF RED	"	"
WORDEN	"	"

Prices quoted on request.

MULBERRY, NUTS, etc.

Ten or more of a kind at these *net* prices.

ALMOND, * Jewelling Prolific, 1st cl., 12c; medium	10c
" * Texas Prolific,	15c; "
Butternut, 3 to 4 ft., 10c; 4 to 5 ft.	12c
CHESTNUT, Am. Sweet, 2 1/2 to 3 ft., 9c; 3-4 ft.	12c
" 4 to 5 ft., 16c; 5 to 6 ft.	18c
" Spanish, 3-yr., 1 ft., 5c; 2 ft., 10c; 3 ft. 15c	
HICKORY, new Mammoth Shellbark, 2-yr	15c
PECAN, hardy Northern, 2-yr., 1 ft., 8c; 2 ft.	15c
WALNUT, Black, transp., 4-5 ft., 8c; 5-7 ft.	12c
" English, 1-2 ft., 8c; 2-3 ft.	12c
JUNEBERRY, Dw't, transp., 1 to 2 ft., 6c; 2 to 3 ft., 9c	
MULBERRY, Downing Eybg., 3 to 4 ft., 12c; 4 to 5 ft., 15c; 5 to 6 ft., 20c; 6 to 7 ft.	25c
" Hicks Eybg., 3c each less than Downing.	
" Russian, 5 to 7 ft.	12c
Persimmon, Native, transpl'd, 2 ft., 12c; 3 ft.	15c
" Japan, Hyakume (Seedless), best, 4 ft.	20c
ASPARAGUS, Con. Colossal, 2-yr	\$5
RHUBARB, Myatt's Linnaeus, divided roots	\$40

ROOT GRAFTS.—Packing Free.

ROOT GRAFTS, priced below, are cions and roots grafted ready for planting in nursery rows. Grafting usually begins the first of Dec. Grafts shipped in winter are packed in paper-lined boxes to prevent freezing; they weigh about 20 pounds per 1000, and expense of transportation is small. Keep in a cool, dark cellar. Prepare the ground well and plant, about 15,000 per acre, as soon as frost is out in Spring; allow but one bud to project above the surface and let the soil be very firmly pressed, especially about the lower ends. Please send orders EARLY.

Our grafts are put up by experienced men, who are paid by the day, and not by the 1000. We have large orchards, aggregating many thousands of trees, from which to cut cions for grafting; these contain a very extensive collection of sorts besides the varieties named herein.

Grafts are tied in bundles of 100 as made; fractional bundles, not under 25c' worth of a sort, at double the 100 rate.

Plum and Prune Grafts on Peach Stocks, 10 per ct. off.

Whole Root Grafts: Apple, \$4 per 1000 added; Pear, Plum, Prune and other W. R. grafts \$8 per 1000 added.

	100	500	1000
Apple, Crab (10 M for \$40)	1.00	2.50	4.50
" * sorts (10 M for \$55)	1.25	4.00	7.00
" * sorts (10 M for \$75)	1.50	5.00	9.00
Pear, Plum, Prune, Cherry, Quince.	2.00	6.00	10.00
Same, * sorts (except French Prune).	2.50	7.00	12.50
Prune, FRENCH (10 M \$95)	2.00	6.00	10.00
IDAHO & * Pear; * Quince.	3.00	9.00	17.50

ORNAMENTAL TREES.

☞ Ten or more of a kind at *net* prices in *this* column.

ALDER, Eup., 5-6 ft., 15c; 6-8 ft., 20c; 8-10 ft., 25c	
Ash, White, 6 to 8 ft., 10c; 8-10 ft., 15c; 10-12 ft., 18c	
Beech, Purple-lf., 2 to 3 ft., 25c; 3 to 5 ft., 40c	
BIRCH, Eup., Wh. Wpg., 4 to 5 ft., 10c; 5-7 ft., 15c	
Cut-lf. Wpg., 2 to 3 ft., 20c; 3-4 ft., 25c;	
4-5 ft., 30c; 5-7 ft., 40c	
Catalpa, Speciosa, 4-6 ft. 5c; 6-8 ft. 10c; 8-10 ft. 12c	
CHERRY, Ig. Dbl. Fl'g, 4 to 5 ft. 20c; 5 to 7 ft. 25c	
Wild Black, 4 to 6 ft. 8c; 6 to 8 ft. 10c	
CRAB, Tea Rose Fl'g (Parkmanii), 2 ft. 25c; 3-5 ft., 40c	
Wild Red Rose Fl'g, new, 2 ft. 25c; 3-5 ft., 40c	
Elm, Am. White, 5-6 ft., 10c; 6-8 ft. 12c; 8-10 ft. 20c	
English, 4 to 6 ft. 15c; 6 to 8 ft. 25c	
Horse Chestnut, 3 to 4 ft. 15c; 5-6 ft. 25c	
LABURNUM, Golden Chain, 4-5 ft. 20c; 5-7 ft. 25c	
LILAC, Giant Tree—see Shrubs.	
Linden, European 3 to 4 ft., 10c; 4 to 5 ft., 15c	
LOCUST, BLACK, 5-6 ft., 10c; 6-8 ft., 15c; 10-12 ft. 20c	
Magnolia, Ac., 2-3 ft. 20c; 3-4 ft. 25c; 4-5 ft. 30c	
Tripetal, 2-3 ft., 25c; 3-4 ft., 35c; 4-5 ft. 45c	
MAPLE, Ash-lf., Box Elder, 6-8 ft., 10c; 8-10 ft. 15c	
Eup. Sycamore, 4-6 ft., 20c; 6-7 ft. 25c	
Norway, 4-5 ft. 15c; 5-6 ft. 20c; 6-8 ft. 30c	
Schwedler's, 4 to 5 ft., 40c; 5 to 6 ft. 50c	
SILVER, 5-6 ft., 4c; 6-8 ft. 6c; 8-10 ft., 10c; 10-12 ft., 15c; 12-15 ft. 20c	
Weir's Cut-lf., 4 to 6 ft. 15c; 6 to 7 ft. 20c	
MT. ASH, Eup., 4-5 ft. 9c; 5-6 ft. 12c; 6-8 ft. 14c	
Oak-lf., 4-5 ft.; 15c; 5-6 ft. 20c; 6-7 ft. 25c	
Weeping, strong 2-yr. heads 35c	
PEACH, Mo. Bloodleaf, new, 3-4 ft. 8c; 4-5 ft. 10c; 5-7 ft. 12c	
Double Fl'g. 3-4 ft. 8c; 4-5 ft. 10c; 5-7 ft. 12c	
POPLAR, Balm of Gilead, 4-6 ft. 6c; 6-8 ft. 10c	
BOLLEANA (Pyramidal), 5-6 ft. 20c; 6-8 ft. 25c; 8-10 ft. 30c; 10-12 ft. 40c; 12-15 ft. 50c	
CAROLINA, 5-6 ft. 9c; 6-8 ft. 12c;	
8-10 ft., 15c; 10-12 ft. 18c	
LOMBARDY, 4-6 ft., 6c; 6-8 ft. 8c; 8-10 ft. 12c; 10-12 ft. 18c; 12 to 15 ft. 20c	
PRUNUS, Pissardi, Simoni, see Plum; Triloba, see Shrubs.	
Sycamore, American, 6 to 8 ft. 12c	
Oriental, 4-5 ft. 20c; 5-6 ft. 25c; 6-8 ft. 35c	
TULIP TREE, 3-4 ft. 9c; 4-5 ft. 12c; 5-6 ft. 15c;	
6-8 ft. 20c; 8-9 ft. 25c	
WILLOW, Babylonian, 4-5 ft.; 7c; 5-6 ft. 10c; 6-8 ft. 12c	
Golden, 4-5 ft. 8c; 5-6 ft. 12c; 6-8 ft. 15c	
Laurel-lf., 4-5 ft. 9c; 5-6 ft. 12c; 6-8 ft. 15c	
Kilmarnock Weeping 2-yr. heads 20c	
Wis. Weeping, 4-5 ft. 7c; 5-6 ft. 10c; 6-8 ft. 12c	

SHRUBS.

ALTHEA, Double sorts, 2 ft., 14c; 3-4 ft. 15c	
Almond, Dw'f Double Red, budded on Plum 12c	
BERBERIS, Purple-lf. 2 to 3 ft. 8c; 3 to 4 ft. 9c	
CALYCANTHUS, Stocky, 1 ft. 8c; 1½ ft. 10c	
CARAGANA, 3 to 4 ft. 8c; 4 to 5 ft. 10c	
CORNUS, Maseula (Cornelian Cherry), 3 ft. 8c; 4-6 ft. 10c	
Sanguinea, 2 ft., 8c; 3 ft. 10c	
Crataegus Pyracantha, Burning Bush, 2 ft. 15c	
DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester, 2 to 3 ft. 10c	
EXOCHORDA, Grandiflora, 2 to 3 ft. 16c	
Honeysuckle, Tree or Upright 10c	
HYDRANGEA, Pan. grand. 1 ft. 8c; 1½ ft., 10c; 2-3 ft. 15c	
JAPAN QUINCE, Scarlet, 2-3 ft. 9c; 3-4 ft. 10c	
LILAC, Purple & White, 2 to 3 ft. 10c; 3 to 4 ft. 12c	
Japonica, or Giant Tree Lilac, 4-6 ft. 50c	
MAHONIA, Aquifolium, 1½ ft. 12c; 2 to 3 ft. 15c	
PRIVET, California, 2 to 3 ft. 7c; 3 to 4 ft. 9c	
2000 or more—half price.	
PRUNUS TRILOBA, on plum, 2-3 ft. 12c; 3-5 ft. 15c	
PURPLE FRINGE, 2-3 ft. 10c; 3-4 ft. 12c; 4-6 ft. 18c	
Snowball, 2 to 3 ft. 10c	
SPIREA, Villardi, Prunifolia, 2-3 ft. 9c; 3-4 ft. 10c	
BAY HOUTTEL, 2 to 3 ft. 10c; 3-4 ft. 12c	
SYRINGA, Coronarius (Sw'g Mock Orange); Grandiflorus (Lg. Fl'g); Nivalis (Dbl. Fl'g); 2 to 3 ft. 8c; 3 to 4 ft. 9c	
Tamarix, African, 3 to 4 ft. 7c; 4 to 6 ft. 9c	
Weigela, Candida, Rosea, Dwarf Variegated-lf. 12c	
PAEONIES, Herbaceous, Red and White 12c	
" Perfection, most beautiful 15c	
" Tree, strong 3-yr. 90c	
YUCCA, Filamentosa 10c	

CLIMBING SHRUBS.

Ampelopsis, Quinquifolia, Am. Ivy or Woodbine, 2-yr. 10c	
Veitchii, 2-yr. 12c	
Bignonia, Trumpet Flower, 2-year 10c	
CLEMATIS, Small white; Flammula, Montana, Vitalba, 3-yr. 9c	
Large purple; Jackmanni, etc., 2-yr. 35c	
Large white; Henryii, etc., 2-year 35c	
Small purple, Viticella, 3-year 9c	
HONEYSUCKLE, Golden Leaved, 2-year 10c	
Hall's Japan (Halleana), 2-yr. 8c	
Wistaria, purple, 2-year 12c	

EVERGREENS—2 to 3 Times Transp.

Note.—All grown in nursery roots, with plenty of space; transplanted and root-pruned, stocky and well furnished.

☞ Under 1000 net; 1000 or more 20 PK. CT. off.

ARBOR VITE, Am., 1½-2 ft. 7c; 2-3 ft. 9c; 3-4 ft. 11c	
" Hovey's Golden, 1½-2 ft. 14c; 2-3 ft. 18c	
" Siberian, 1½-2 ft. 20c; 3-4 ft. 25c	
" Vervaeke's, 1½-2 ft., 20c; 2-3 ft. 25c	
Fir, Balsam, 1½-2 ft. 15c; 2-3 ft. 20c; 3, 4 or 5 ft. 25c	
" Nordmann's Silver, 1 to 1½ ft. 25c	
JUNIPER, Irish, 1½-2 ft. 18c; 2-3 ft. 20c; 3-½ ft. 25c	
PINE, Austrian, 2-3 ft., 12c; 3-4 ft., 15c; 4-5 ft. 18c	
" Scotch, 2-3 ft. 12c; 3-4 ft. 15c; 4-5 ft. 18c	
" White, 2-3 ft. 15c; 3-4 ft. 18c; 4-5 ft. 20c	
RED CEDAR, 2-3 ft. 15c; 3-4 ft. 15c; 4-5 ft. 15c	
Retinospora, Plumosa Aurea, 1½-2 ft. 25c; 2-3 ft. 30c	
SPRUCE, Colo. Blue, (pungens), 8 inches 40c; 1 ft. 60c	
" Norway, 2-3 ft. 10c; 3-4 ft. 12½c; 4-5 ft. 15c	
" White, 2 to 3 ft. 18c	

ROSES—Grown in OPEN GROUND.

We make the culture of hardy out-door grown Roses a specialty and grow 25 to 30 ACRES of them. Our list has been carefully reduced, retaining only the very best.

We think we grow good Roses—at least numerous critical customers (from Maine westward) say they are "just splendid." We have a grand lot this year, including an extra fine stock of HEAVY TWO-YR. —usually scarce in market; one block of 157,000 2-yr. on own roots, also a block of 50,000 extra strong budded.	100 1000
CLIMBING, 2-yr. 8 9 80	
" 1-yr. 8 75	
HYBRID PERPETUAL, ETC., 2-yr. 11 95	
" " 1-yr. 10 90	
HYB. TEA, 2-yr., per 100, \$14; 1-yr. 11	
MAD. PLANTIER, Sw't Briar, 2-yr. 9 75	
" " 1-yr. 8 70	
MOSS, 2-yr. 14 125	
" 1-yr. 13 115	

Names of Moss Roses in *italics*, Climbers in bold face.

A. de Diesbach, Glory France	Luxembourg
Baltimore Belle	Mad. Gabriel Luizet
Baron de Bonstetten	Madame Plantier
Baronne Prevost	Maurice Bernardin
Capt. Christy, Hyb. T.	Paul Neyron
Capt. Ingram	Perfection des Blanchés
Caroline de Sansal	Perpetual White Moss
Climbing Jules Margottin	Pius IX
Couness of Murinais	Princess Adelaide
Gen. Jacqueminot	Princess Clementine
Glory of Mosses	Queen of Frialies
Henry Martyn	Raphael, finest perpetual
John Hopper	Soleil (Moss; nearly white.
Jules Margottin	Seven Sisters
La Reine	Sweet Briar
La France, Hyb. T.	Triumph de Angers, H. T.

CIONS—and BUDS in Season.

Orders of less amt. than \$2 cannot be accepted; less than 100 of a sort, at double the 100 rate.

Apple, Peach, (10 M at \$1.75)	\$ 50 2	100 1000
" Special * sorts, (10 M at \$2.75)	50 3	
" Dbl. Star ** sorts, (10M at \$6)	1 50 8	
Pear, Cherry, Plum, Prune, Nectarine, Apricot, Quince, (10 M at \$2.75)	50 3	
Same, Special * sorts, (10 M at \$3.50)	1 00 4	
Pear, IDAHO, Dbl. Star ** sts, (10M at \$13)	2 00 10	
Plum, Peach, ** sorts—priced on request.		
Quince, Almond, Dbl. Star ** sorts	2 00 10	

Stocks, Seedlings, Cuttings, etc.

Prices are for quantities named.	100 1000
APPLE, No. 1, 3/16 inch and up, (10 M at \$4)	1.00 4.50
" No. 2, 2/16 to 3/16 inch, (10 M at \$2.25)	1.00 2.50
" No. 3, under 2/16 " (10 M at \$1)	.75 1.25
CHERRY, Mahaleb, No. 1, (10 M at \$5)	1.25 6.00
" No. 2, (10M at \$3.75)	1.00 4.50
" Mazzard, No. 1, (10M at \$6.50)	1.50 7.50
" No. 2, (10M at \$4.50)	1.00 5.00
PLUM, Mariana, No. 1, 3/16 to 1/4 in, (10 M \$6)	1.50 7.00
" Extra, 1/4 in. & up, (10 M at \$7)	1.50 8.00
☞ Also have fine lot Mariana stocks, f. o. b. Fort Valley, Ga., \$1.50 per M off above prices.	
PLUM, Mariana Cuttings, Treated and Calloused (10 M at \$2.25; 25 M at \$2; 50 M at \$1.75; 100 M at \$1.50)	.75 2.50
PEACH, No. 1, (10 M at \$4)	1.00 4.50
" No. 2, (10 M at \$3)	1.00 3.50
PEAR, No. 1, (10 M at \$8)	1.50 9.00
" No. 2, (10 M at \$3.75)	1.00 4.50
QUINCE, Angers, No. 1, (10 M at \$10)	2.00 11.00
PEACH PITS, Natural Ozark Mountain pits, f.o.b. per bu. \$1.50; 10 bu. at \$1.25; 100 bu. at \$1.10	
☞ F.o.b. where gathered about 150 miles S. W. St. Louis, 25c per bu. less.	

SUNDRIES.—Our own improved Dibbles \$1.40. Cleve's Planting Trowel 45c. English grafting knives (Rodgers) \$1. Labels, brass-wired and painted, \$1.30 per 1000. Label pencils, 10c each, 75c per doz. Moss, \$1.50 per bale.